

RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG AND POTOMAC RAILROAD

Schedule in effect Jan. 9th, 1905.

LEAVE NORTHWARD.

6:09 A. M. daily. Stops on signal at Oceocan Sundays only.

8:13 A. M. daily. Stops at Alexandria.

10:41 A. M. daily. Stops on signal at Lee, L. & Brooke, Aquia, Wide Water, Ried, Quantico, Cherry Hill, Frostone, Negley, Oceocan, Lorton, Accotink, Franconia, Seminary and Alexandria.

1:43 P. M. daily except Sunday. Stops at Alexandria.

6:50 P. M. daily. Stops on signal at Brooke, Wide Water, Quantico, and Alexandria.

10:01 P. M. daily. Stops at Alexandria. Stops on signal at Oceocan on Sundays only.

LEAVE SOUTHWARD.

5:50 A. M. daily except Sunday, Richmond accommodation makes all stops.

6:21 A. M. daily. Atlantic Coast Line train. Stops on signal at Wide Water, Sumner Gap, Woodlane, Penola, Ruthers, Taylorsville, and Glen. All Sundays only; and at Alexandria, Brooke, Millford, Doswell and Ashland daily.

9:51 A. M. daily except Sunday. Makes local stops on signal.

12:29 P. M. daily. S. A. L. train. Stops on signal at Lorton and Oceocan Sundays only, and daily at Alexandria, Quantico, Millford, Doswell and Ashland.

5:26 P. M. daily. Atlantic Coast Line train. **Stops at Alexandria, Doswell and Ashland.**

6:39 P. M. daily. Makes local stops on signal.

9:06 P. M. daily. Seaboard Air Line train. **Stops at Alexandria, Doswell and Ashland.**

Accommodation train leaves Richmond 4 P. M. daily except Sunday at Fredericksburg 6:33 P. M.

Note: Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

C. C. COX, Agent.

W. D. DUKE, C. W. CLIFTON, W. P. TAYLOR

Gen. Mktg. Ass'ts. Gen. Mktg. Trst. Mktg.

POTOMAC, FREDERICKSBURG AND PIEDMONT RAILROAD

TIME TABLE NO. 15.

In effect at 1 A. M. February 8th, 1904.

Daily Miles Daily Miles

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No. 1 No. 2

A. M. L. V. P. M. L. V.

Fredericksburg 8 Whites 8.41

8.20 9 Mine Road 2.50

8.22 7 Somerville 2.44

8.25 10 Arich 2.45

8.28 11 Furnace 2.28

8.33 12 St. George 2.28

8.40 13 Brook Road 2.28

8.43 14 St. George 2.28

9.00 15 Parker 2.11

9.08 16 New Hope 1.57

9.12 17 Tiverton 1.57

9.28 18 Reynolds 1.35

9.28 19 Versherville 1.25

9.48 20 Larkins 1.25

10.00 21 Unionville 1.06

10.14 22 Nasons 12.50

10.24 23 Taylor 12.50

10.28 24 L. & R. 12.50

Connections at Fredericksburg with R. E. & P.

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Keep large stock of Sewer Pipe and Fire Clay Pipe. E. D. COLE

To the Citizens of Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania, Stafford and Louisa.

As the county of Louisa wishes to present a candidate for election to the district of which she forms a part, and as a very general desire has been expressed throughout the county by the citizens of Louisa, doing me the honor of uniting upon myself and such candidate, I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for nomination for the Senate of Virginia, from this district, subject to the Democratic primary, and have to say that if this honor is conferred upon me and I am elected to such position, I will give my best endeavor to represent the people of the whole district, and I ask their support.

Respectfully,

Frederick W. Wimer Sims.

Feb 16-1ft.

The McCall Patterns are the only patterns made with performances, showing the exact basting and sewing lines and the seam allowance, without waste of material. No other pattern has this feature. For sale at Lowery's. Fashion sheets free.

Parties leaving the city for an extended stay can have the Free Lance sent to their address at reasonable rates. C. W. Jones.

CURRENT COMMENTS

Mr. M. L. Bullock, of Summit, was here Friday.

Mr. C. B. Leary, of Cherry Hill, was in town Saturday.

Mr. Tom Wallace, of Stafford, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Hurkamp is spending some time at "Boscobel."

Mr. James Moncure, of Richmond, was in the city Saturday.

Rev. John F. Coleman was in the city Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. M. M. Lewis is quite sick at her home on Hanover street.

Mr. C. H. Maddox, of Nealboro, was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. H. H. Lane is in Culpeper the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robertson.

Mr. Joseph M. Goldsmith has returned from a Southern business trip.

The condition of Mr. H. M. D. Jenkins, who has pneumonia, is improved.

Mr. C. W. Jones is spending several days at Morrisville, Fauquier County.

Mr. William A. Moncure, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his family in Stafford.

Miss Annie Merkle has returned home after spending a month with her brothers in Baltimore.

Mr. Bryant Spicer, of Orange, is attending the College and will play ball on the team this year.

Mrs. E. D. Cole and daughter, Miss Alice, have returned from an extended stay in Washington.

The T. N. Brent Store is offering a fine new spring tailor-made suit \$10, \$12.50 and \$15.

Miss Victoria Chambers, who has been visiting Miss Elizabeth Eckernrode, has returned to Pamplin City.

Mr. J. B. Rawlings, of Baltimore, was the guest of his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rawlings, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Spiers, of Washington, was the guest of his friends, Mr. Lynwood Layton, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. James E. Bradley, of Baltimore, who has been here for several days, left for a Southern business trip Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Franklin, Jr., of Washington, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Franklin, Sunday.

General Freight and Passenger Agent T. Murdoch, of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company, in a letter to this paper gives the gratifying information that the steamer Caroline will resume her regular route on the Rappahannock March 27th, coming up from Urbanna to this city on that day. The schedule will be the same as before.

It is understood that all of the present officers will be candidates.

B. Y. P. U.

Seventh Anniversary Celebration—Large Crowd and Interesting Occasion.

The gathering at the Baptist Church Sunday night filled the edifice to the doors.

The occasion was the seventh anniversary of the B. Y. P. U., which took the place of the regular service.

Mr. Ashton Dodd, President of the Union, presided, and delivered, in an earnest manner, an address of welcome.

The special address of the Union was "The Power of Prayer."

Mr. R. H. Gandy, son of Dr. Gandy, College, gave a splendid impression, and the fine thoughts, which he expressed, were listened to with evident appreciation.

Rev. R. A. Williams, the pastor, made a few remarks, speaking words of cheer and encouragement to the members of the Union, followed by an appropriate selection from the Scriptures, after which he offered a fervent prayer.

Mrs. W. S. White and Mrs. A. P. Rose, each sang a beautiful solo. Mrs. Mary Quinn-Hicks, organ, and Prof. A. B. Bowering, violin, were accompanists for Mrs. White, and Mrs. Hicks accompanied for Mrs. Rose. Another enjoyable number was the duet, organ and violin, by Mrs. Hicks and Prof. Bowering.

CITY OFFICES

Those to be Filled This Year—Election Will be Held Nov. 14th.

The election here this year for city officers will take place at the same time. The State election is held, Tuesday, Nov. 14th next. The city officers to be chosen at that time are Clerk of Court, Commonwealth's Attorney, City Treasurer, Commissioner of the Revenue and City Sergeant.

The present terms of all these officers end Monday evening by Misses Eva and Alida Hoskins, assisted by Masters Cardwell and Harry Hoskins at their home in Stafford, in honor of their guest, Miss Kate Blunt, of Ashland.

Among those present were Miss Kate Blunt, of Ashland; Misses Anna Rice, Eleanor Howard, Bessie Burrows, Estelle Gatlett, Mrs. Alice Burrows, Estelle Cox, Susie Rose, Letty Rose and Mrs. E. Burrows of Fredericksburg; Misses Lizzie and Nellie Rouch, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Hoskins, Mrs. Mrs. Eva and Alida Hoskins most charming hostesses, and an enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Rosebro Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell M. Rosebro entertained at Finch last Friday evening in their home of their guests, Miss Katherine Watkinson and Mr. Nannie Soden. The groomsman arrived a little late, Miss Watkinson, Miss Maithaud and Mr. Paul Johnston, Jr., coming out victorious.

Those who enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Rosebro's hospitality were: Misses Louise, Louisa Somerville, Lena Harrison, Fannie Beale, Nannie Soden, Katherine Watkinson, Jessie Maithaud, Sadie Taylor, Madge Taylor, Bessie Walker, Misses Barton Mason, May Smith, Davill, Courtland Rosedro, Garnett, Prof. Glasgo, Prof. Ryburn, Ellerbe Carter, T. M. Bradley, Marsden, Paul Karston, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor C. Strasburger celebrated the 39th anniversary of their marriage at their home on Main Street Sunday. All the members of the family were present except Mr. Milton Strasburger, of Baltimore. Among those who came from Baltimore were Mr. Milton Strasburger and wife, Mrs. Emily Strasburger, of New York, and Miss Clarence Fitzhugh, of King George.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin and Mrs. Jones dry goods store.

Messrs. H. Wallace Carnier & Co. are moving their place of business to the spacious room in the Enterprise Building, next door to the postoffice.

Just received lots of beautiful sterling silverware, suitable for bridal gifts, anniversaries and birthday presents, etc., at North, the jeweler and optician.

Mr. J. Bernard Scott has returned from an extended Southern trip, and is making his home at Snowdon, the fine estate of Mr. Frank B. Guest, near this city.

The weather Saturday and Sunday was not only springlike, but the temperature was high enough for summer. On both days the thermometer registered nearly 80°.

Mrs. D. E. Smith left Tuesday for the North to purchase a stock of spring millinery, which will consist of the newest, prettiest and most up-to-date goods on the market.

Chester Goodrich, who has been employed at the excelsior mill for some time as stenographer, has given up the position and returned to Fredericksburg—Southside Sentinel.

Mrs. Ivan Strasburger has returned from a visit to relatives in Baltimore, accompanied by her brother-in-law, Mr. Edwin Strasburger, who will spend a few days here with his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bell M. Rosebro entertained their friends at Finch Thursday night from 8 to 11. After the games refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Wardell, Clancy, Maguire, Roy, Zimmerman, Mrs. J. S. Speier, Mr. J. D. Thompson, Mrs. White, Mrs. Pope, Mrs. J. W. Adams,